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Claims 1, 4-11, and 16-25 remain in this application.

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1 Because of the dependent claims include the elements of base claims, they
2 benefit from the amendments to the base claims. Applicant respectfully requests
3 that the rejection be removed.
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5 Claim 1 is further amended to include element of "reading of the sector is
6 based on amplitude information of the sector" which is not taught in the cited
7 references.
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9 Dependent claim 25 also includes the element of "reading of the sector is
10 based on amplitude information of the sector".
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1 **CONCLUSION**

2 All pending claims 1, 4-11, and 16-25 are in condition for allowance.
3 Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and prompt issuance of the subject
4 application. If any issues remain that prevent issuance of this application, the
5 Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned attorney before issuing a subsequent
6 Action.

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8 Respectfully Submitted,

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